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May 11, 2015

New Hampshire Electric Co-op (NHE CO-OP) and its contractor consultant, Vegetation Control Service, Inc. (VCS) intends to selectively apply herbicides to undesirable vegetation growing within power line rights of way corridors located in the Town of Moultonborough. Treatments are scheduled to commence on or about June 29, 2015.

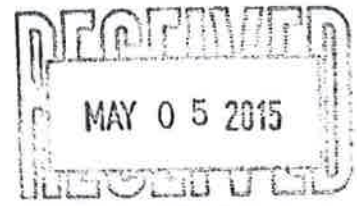
NH Electric Cooperative has provided maps of the selected areas that will receive the herbicide treatment, along with "Herbicide Use Notification" Coupons for Personal Notification Request and must be received no later than June 15, 2015. Please "click" on the attachment for the maps and the coupon. Copies of this information are available and located in the lobby of Town Hall.

For additional information, you are instructed to contact:

VCS (Consultant to NHE CO-OP)
C/O Bryant McCollor, Project Manager
2342 Main Street
Athol, MA 01331

Contact Hours: Mon. – Fri., 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Telephone: 603-325-3227



Vegetation Control Service, Inc.

2342 MAIN STREET
ATHOL, MA 01331
OFF: 978-249-5348
FAX: 978-249-4784
800-323-7706

56 HILL ROAD
FRANKLIN, NH 03235
OFF: 603-934-4665
FAX: 603-934-6260

134 LEVERETT ROAD
SHUTESBURY, MA 01072
413-259-1414

2015

Moultonborough Town Hall
P.O. Box 139
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Moultonborough, NH 03254

To Selectman/Mayor/or Town Manager

Please be advised, that New Hampshire Electric Co-op (NHE CO-OP) and its contractor consultant, Vegetation Control Service, Inc. (VCS) intends to selectively apply herbicides to undesirable vegetation growing within power line rights of way corridors located in your community.

This treatment will be performed by experienced, State of NH Certified Applicator's, authorized by Special Permit # 065, issued by the NH Division of Pesticide Control. In compliance with State of NH, Code of Administrative Rules, regarding public notification of herbicide treatments to rights of way, we have enclosed the following for your information and review.

- Copies of the "Herbicide Use Notification", including the identification of the power lines scheduled for treatment, herbicide products to be used and an attached returnable coupon for those individuals who desire personal notification or may want to advise us of a sensitive area of concern near the right of way.
- Copy of the topographical maps, depicting the location of the power line, rights of way intended for treatment.
- Copies of (NHE-CO-OP's) door hanger notification of herbicide spraying to be left with each power line right of way abutter along with a copy of the "Herbicide Use Notification".

In addition to this enclosed notice, the "Herbicide Use Notice" will be published in a newspaper of State wide circulation and those of local circulation, to help inform the public. We encourage you however, to post this notice in customary places of public notification as you deem appropriate.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns about the actual herbicide treatment program, please feel free to contact me at 603-325-3227 during the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm, Monday thru Friday.

If you have questions concerning NHE CO-OP's lines, poles, facilities or general information relating to utility issues, please contract:

Scott Carlson, Utility Forester Coordinator

579 Tenney Mountain Highway

Plymouth, NH 03264

Telephone: Monday thru Friday, 6:00 am to 3:30 pm, 603-536-8809

On behalf of NHE CO-OP, we thank you in advance for your assistance and cooperation with this project.

Sincerely,

Bryant McCollor, Project Manager, VCS



Bryant McCollor
Project Manager

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Enc (s):

- Herbicide Use Notification/Return Coupons
- Topographical Map
- NHE CO-OP Abutter Door Hangers

— NOTICE —

to Homeowners Along Electric Distribution Rights of Way



New Hampshire Electric Co-op (NHEC) has contracted with Vegetation Control Service, Inc. (VCS) to conduct an Herbicide Application Program on or adjacent to your property. VCS is an industry leader with 40 years of herbicide application experience in right of way maintenance programs.

This herbicide application will be part of NHEC's Integrated Vegetation Management Program (IVMP). A selective herbicide application will be used to control regrowth of hardwood stump sprouts from recent cutting, trimming or mowing operations on the distribution system. This is very essential to provide safe and reliable electric delivery. This selective herbicide application prevents undesirable, tall growing tree species from growing up into the conductors. It also establishes a low growing, stable plant community that allows crews working to maintain or restore power, access to the lines.

The use of herbicides as part of our IVMP is regulated by federal and state statutes and regulations. These requirements protect sensitive areas such as: Surface Waters, Public and Private Wells, Wetlands, Visually sensitive areas near roads and/or residences.

The herbicide products used for this application have been registered with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and will be applied by certified applicators according to specific label directions. Applications will be selective, in that the herbicides will be applied directly to undesirable target species.

If you have any concerns about this application please contact VCS within 14 days of the date on reverse side.



This notice was delivered on: _____

Treatments are scheduled to commence on or about: _____

VCS Representative: _____

May be contacted at: **603-325-3227**

NHEC Line #: _____ Pole #: _____

Town: _____, NH

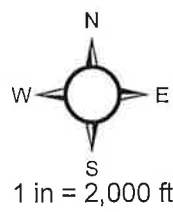
Contact Hours: **Monday–Friday / 8am–4pm**

NHEC lines can be identified by a metal tag attached to the pole with the letters "NHE CO-OP" followed by a line identification # and pole # usually immediately under the "co-op" label.

NHEC believes that our IVMP is the most responsible way to provide safe, reliable electric distribution service to our members at a reasonable cost with the least impact to our environment. Please visit our website for more information about NHEC's IVMP at:

www.nhec.com

NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
Line # 14201 14406 tap
Moultonboro, NH
Projects # 1518-14201 14406
Meredith District

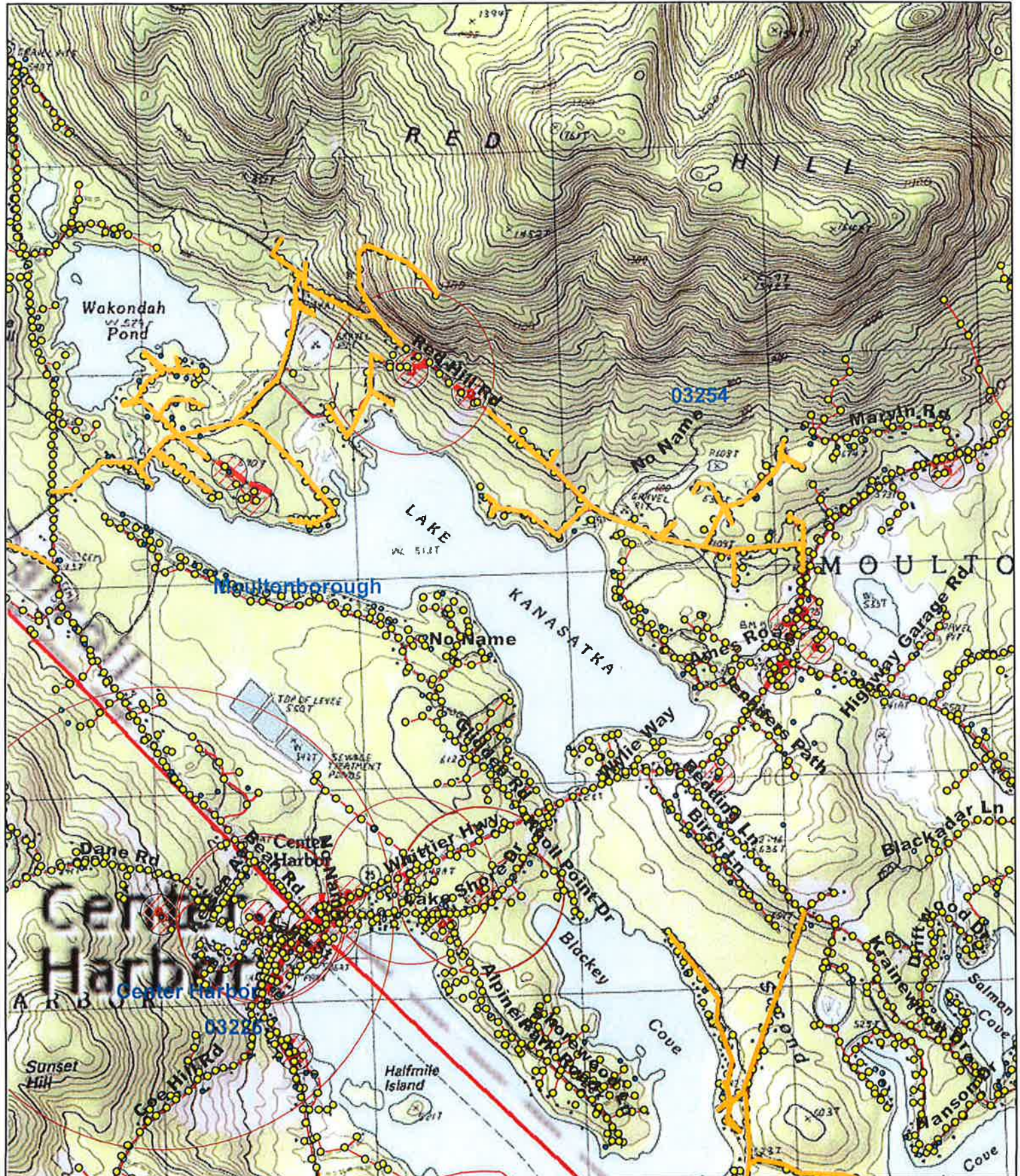


6.93 Miles
16.79 Acres(x 20')
Possible Est. Treatment

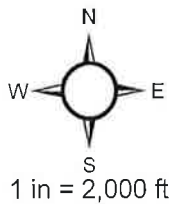
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- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
 Line # 161 taps
 Moultonboro, NH
 Project # 1518-161
 Meredith District



2.03 Miles
 4.92 Acres(x 20')
 Possible Est. Treatment

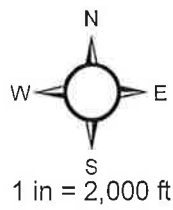
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- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- ▨ pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000
 Feet



NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
 Line # 152 taps
 Moultonboro, NH
 Project # 1518-152
 Meredith District



4.48 Miles
 10.86 Acres(x 20')
 Possible Est. Treatment

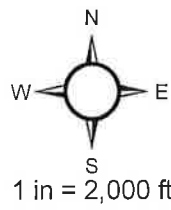
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- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
 Line # 145 14502 taps
 Moultonboro, NH
 Projects # 1518-145 14502
 Meredith District



11.38 Miles
 27.58 Acres(x 20')
 Possible Est. Treatment

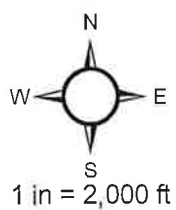
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- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- ▨ pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
Line # 144 146 and taps
Moultonboro, NH
Projects # QS1518-MB13
Meredith District



13.78 Miles
33.4 Acres(x 20')
Possible Est. Treatment

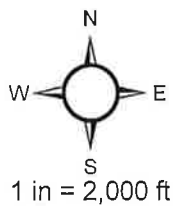
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- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
 Line # 144 and taps
 Sandwich Moultonboro, NH
 Projects # 1518-144190
 1515-18017 (Ossipee Dist)
 Meredith District

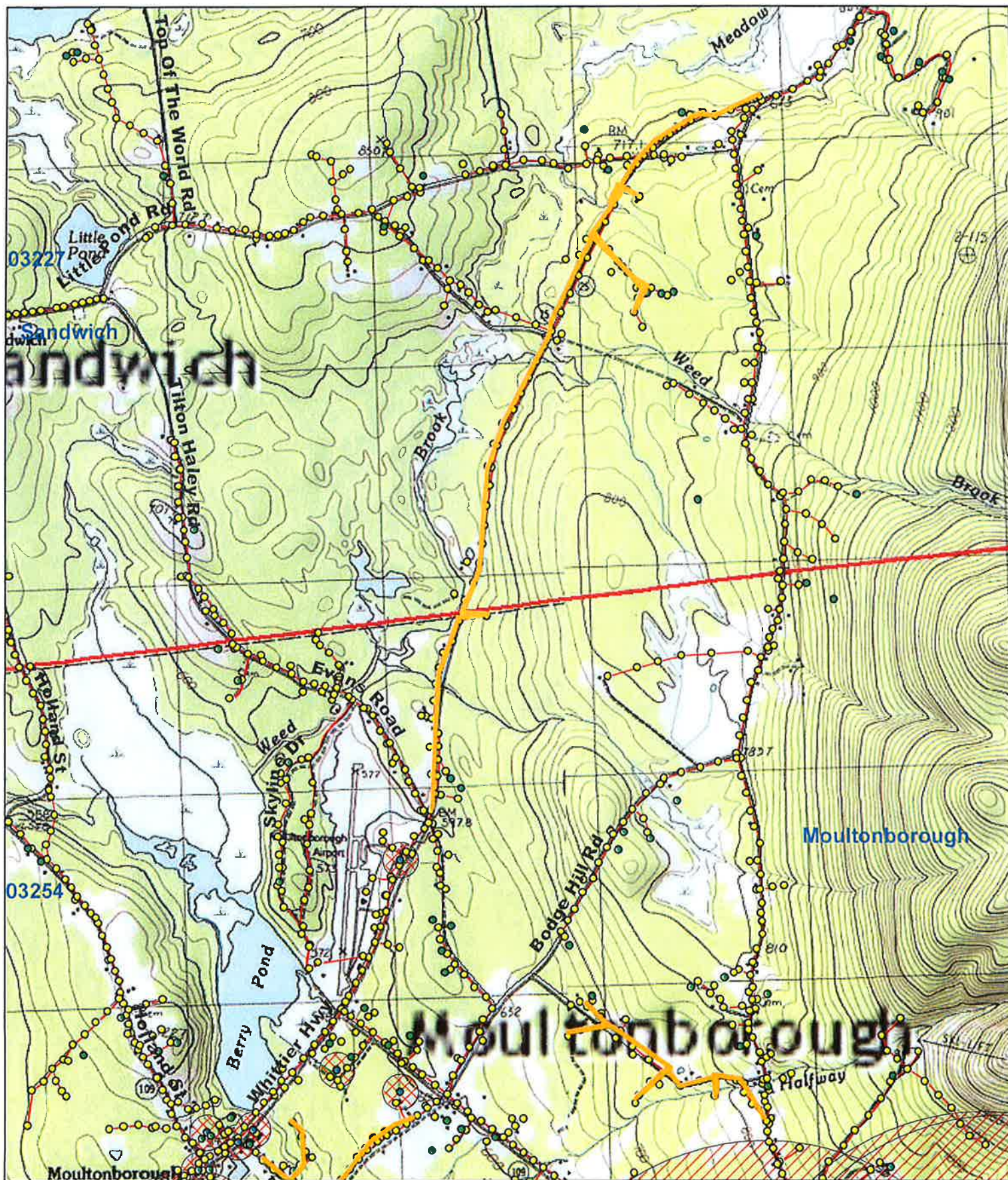


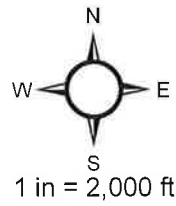
3.74 Miles
 9.06 Acres(x 20')
 Possible Est. Treatment

Legend

- wells
- Public Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- ▨ PublicWater_2015
- ▨ Well Head Protection

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



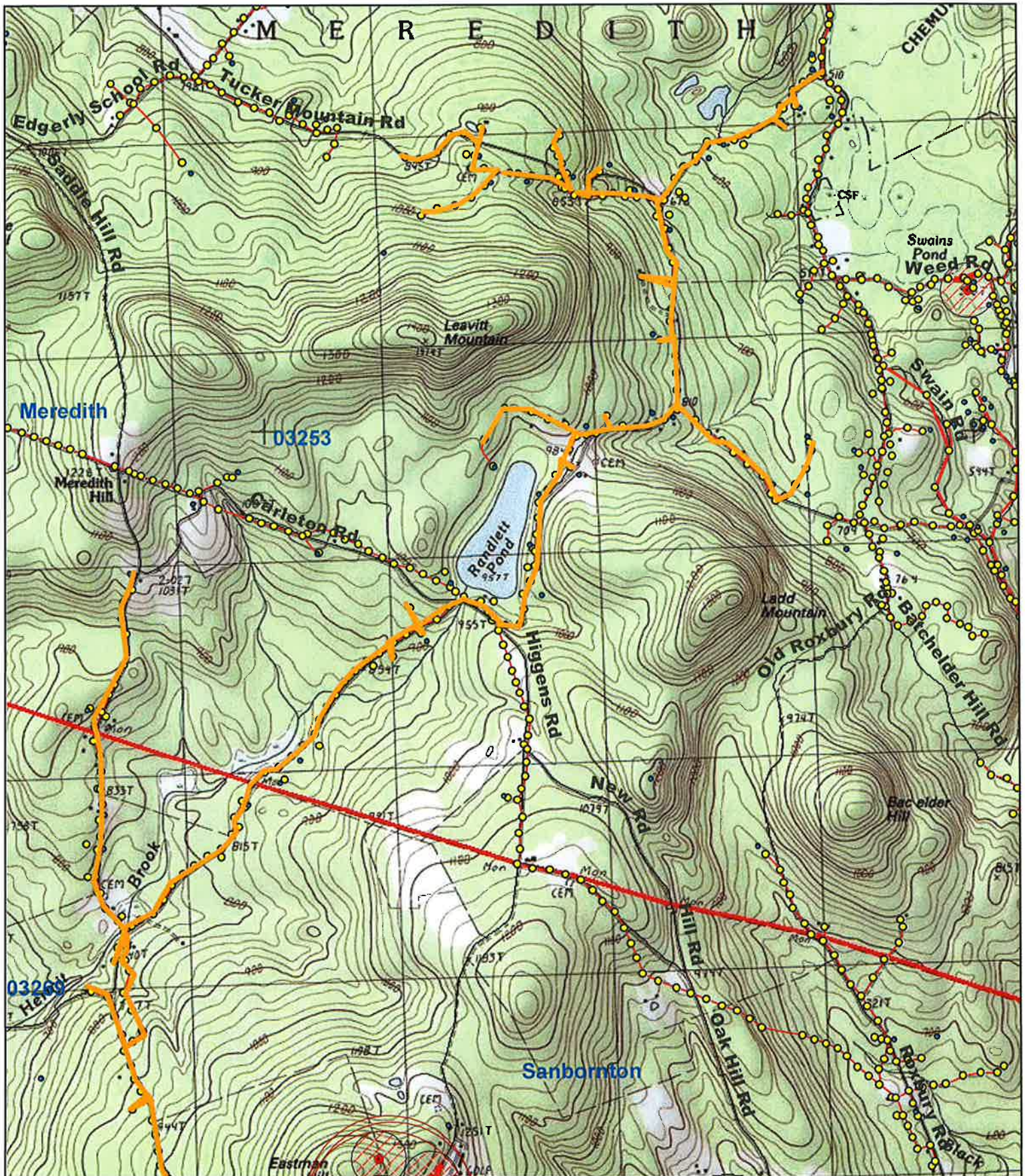


18.05 Miles
43.75 Acres(x 20')
Possible Est. Treatment

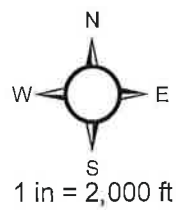
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- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



NHECO 2015 Proposed Treatment
Line # 143
Center Harbor Moultonboro, NH
Project # 1510-3B
Alton District



11.14 Miles
27.00 Acres(x 20')
Possible Est. Treatment

Legend

- Other Wells
- NHEC_Primary_Poles
- Public Water Supply
- RoadwayNoSprayAreas
- NHEC_Primary_Lines
- whpa
- pws_Buffer

0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



HERBICIDE USE NOTIFICATION

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTRIC CO-OP (NHE CO-OP) intends to apply herbicides along various power-line rights-of-way during 2015. The following herbicides will be selectively applied to control tall growing vegetation within the right-of-way corridor. Rodeo (glyphosate), Escort XP/Patriot (metsulfuron methyl), Krenite S (fosamine ammonium), Garlon 4 Ultra (triclopyr). Treatments are scheduled to commence on or about **June 29, 2015**. The following power-lines and their respective municipalities are scheduled for treatment:

Town	Line #	Town	Line #	Town	Line #
Alexandria	12B	Dorchester	8X	Northwood	3,3F,5
Alton	300,315,303	Easton	2	Nottingham	5
Andover	23	Eaton	11	Orford	8X,7218
Ashland	15	Epsom	3,3F	Ossipee	6,10A
Barnstead	2C,3B,503	Farmington	315	Pittsburg	7
Bartlett	6,8,9,14,15,520,11,12,524	Freedom	11	Pittsfield	503
Benton	4,72	Fremont	14	Plainfield	6
Campton	12,13,1311	Gilmanton	300,312,317,319	Raymond	6
Canaan	9	Goshen	1	Sanbornton	127
Candia	6	Haverhill	4	Sandown	14,15A
Canterbury	9	Hill	2H,12H	Sandwich	15327
Center Harbor	143	Holderness	13,15,32	Stewartstown	3D
Charlestown	2K,8,8A,8AA	Langdon	8AA	Thornton	50,51,56
Chester	6,14,15A	Lempster	3F1,13A	Tuftsboro	174, 1709
Claremont	6	Lincoln	63	Unity	6A,8
Colebrook	4,229,324	Lisbon	1,2X	Wilmot	12B
Columbia	4,229	Madison	11	Warren	72,7241
Conway	9,14,15,520	Meredith	115 121,11511 11504,11706 12001	Washington	3F1
Cornish	6	Moultonborough	127, 143,144 145,152 ,161,14201, 14406	Waterville Valley	50
Danville	14	New Durham	315	Wentworth	8X,7218,7241
Danbury	12B	New Hampton	15,22	Woodstock	56
Deerfield	3,5,6	Northfield	9		

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In accordance with the N.H. Division of Pesticide Control Regulations, individual landowners whose property abuts the right-of-way, or over whose property the right-of-way passes, may request individual written notification thirty days prior to any treatment. To receive individual notification, fill out the attached Notification Request Coupon and return to the address as indicated below no later than **June 15, 2015**. Requests received after this date will not be considered for this treatment cycle.

In addition to the written notification, individual landowners whose property abuts or over whose property the right-of-way passes, have the right to request and receive the approximate date, (within 5 days before or 5 days after the actual date of application) that herbicides will be or have been applied in your area.

Further information may be requested by contacting: VCS (Consultant to NHE CO-OP)

C.O Bryant McCollor, Project Manager -2342 Main St. Athol, MA. 01331

Contact hours: Mon. – Fri., 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Telephone: 603-325-3227

COUPON FOR PERSONAL NOTIFICATION REQUEST

NAME: _____ TOWN OF AFFECTED PROPERTY _____
 STREET _____ TOWN _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
 TELEPHONE: DAY _____ NIGHT _____
 UTILITY INITIALS ON POLE _____ NUMBERS _____

REQUESTING:

☐ 30 DAY PRIOR WRITTEN NOTIFICATION

☐ 5 DAY BEFORE OR 5 DAY POST APPLICATION NOTIFICATION

In accordance with State Regulations, it is the duty of each landowner or resident to make **VCS** aware of the location of potentially affected private water supplies and any other environmentally sensitive areas where herbicide application should be further restricted.

☐ Spring or Well

☐ Crops or Pasture

☐ Other

Send coupons to:

VCS

C/O Bryant McCollor, Project Manager

2342 Main St., Athol MA. 01331

Thirty Day written notification must be received by Bryant McCollor, Project Manager no later than **June 15, 2015**. Requests received after this date will not be granted until next treatment cycle.